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CONCLUSION OF THE 2001 HURRICANE SEASON FOR THE PORTS OF CANAVERAL, JACKSONVILLE, AND FERNANDINA

December 1st marked the end of the 2001 Hurricane Season and Port Condition 5 (Stand-Down) has been set for the Port of Fernandina, Jacksonville, and Canaveral. However, the tropics remain active and I strongly encourage all port users to continue to monitor the development of heavy weather that will threaten our ports.

Marine Safety Office Jacksonville will review the Port Hurricane Plan and incorporate any changes this spring. All marine interests are encouraged to provide suggestions for the updated plan. Similarly, marine interests in the Jacksonville, Fernandina, and Port Canaveral areas are encouraged to continue updating their own plans and procedures to remain prepared for severe storms that can strike our area at any time of the year.

For questions or suggestions pertaining to heavy weather matters or the Port Hurricane Plan, please contact LT Doug Campbell at the Jacksonville Marine Safety Office, dcampbell@msojax.uscg.mil, or (904) 232-2640.

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